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FOR:

ARRANGEMENT FOR HOUSING MILKING

ANIMALS

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Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.494 or 37 C.F.R. § 1.495, attached hereto are the following additional items necessary for entering the national phase in connection with the above-identified PCT international application.

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	\boxtimes	The undersigned hereby declares that "Attorney Docket No. 19200-000051/US"				
	on page 1 of the attached inventors' Declaration corresponds to Appl. No. 10/542,294					
	filed July 15, 2005 entitled "ARRANGEMENT FOR HOUSING MILKING ANIMALS."					
		English language specification, claims, and Abstract with () sheets of				
		drawings.				
		Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.				
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necessary, applicant hereby respectfully petitions for an extension of time for the filing of the						
present paper in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.						
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Respectfully submitted,

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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

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 - Preliminary Amendments filed on 07/15/2005
 - Information Disclosure Statements filed on 07/15/2005
 - Request for Immediate Examination filed on 07/15/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/15/2005
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- Specification filed on 07/15/2005
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 Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

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